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1. Petition to Accord Correspondence Filing Date For "Date-In" Incorrectly Entered on Express Mail Label (37 C.F.R. § 1.10(d)).
  2. Statement of Robert A. Kalinsky under 37 C.F.R. § 1.10(d)(1).
  3. Copy of the first page of Correspondence filed.
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Applicant:	Hansen et al.	Our Ref. No.:	13569.0099US01
Serial No.:	10/776,661	Confirmation No.:	3375
Filed:	February 10, 2004	Customer No.:	56697
Group Art Unit:	3762		

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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:	Hansen et al.	Examiner:	TBA
Serial No.:	10/776,661	Group Art Unit:	3762
Filed:	February 10, 2004	Docket No.:	13569.0099US01
Customer No.:	56697	Confirmation No.:	3375
Title:	PSA Cable and Connector for Quadripolar Lead Terminal		

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**Petition to Accord Correspondence Filing Date For "Date-In" Incorrectly Entered on Express Mail Label (37 C.F.R. § 1.10(d))**

Mail Stop Petition  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is a petition to accord the present application a filing date of February 10, 2004, which is the date the application was deposited with the U.S. Postal Service with proper postage.

Submitted herewith is the statement of Robert A. Kalinsky as to when the discrepancy was discovered and establishing that this petition is being filed promptly thereafter. 37 C.F.R. § 1.10(d)(1).

Attached is a true copy of the first page of the correspondence which was filed, showing both the date on which this correspondence was mailed as Express Mail Label No. EV 407363544 US and that the number of the Express Mail was placed thereon prior to mailing. 37 C.F.R. § 1.10(d)(2).

Correction is required because the wrong "Date-In" was entered by the U.S. Postal Service on the original Express Mail label and on the envelope delivered to the U.S. Patent Office.

The attached "Track & Confirm" receipt printed from the U.S. Postal Service website, showing that Express Mail Label No. EV 407363544 US was accepted by the U.S. Postal

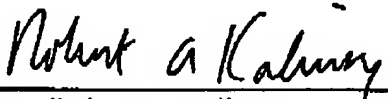
Service on February 10, 2004, is provided to establish the showing required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.10(d)(3).

Applicants respectfully request a grant of this petition. Please contact Applicants' undersigned attorney with any questions.

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Respectfully submitted,  
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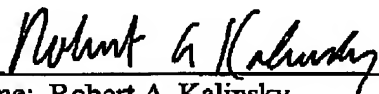
Dear Sir:

The present application was filed on February 10, 2004. A discrepancy with respect to the mailing date recorded on the "Date-In" field of the Express Mail label and the filing date accorded by the Patent Office was identified when the Filing Receipt for this application was received on May 13, 2004. A Request for Corrected Filing Receipt attempting to correct this error was filed on May 24, 2004. The attached petition is being filed promptly after determining that the Patent Office has not acted on the Request for Corrected Filing Receipt. 37 C.F.R. § 1.10(d)(1).

Please contact the undersigned attorney with any questions regarding this application.

Respectfully submitted,  
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Applicant: Hansen et al.  
 Docket: 13569.0099US01  
 Customer No.: 23552  
 Title: PSA Cable and Connector for Quadripolar Lead Terminal

## CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 CFR 1.10

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By: Terrence Anderson  
 Name: Terrence Anderson

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Sir:

We are transmitting herewith the attached:

- ☒ Transmittal sheet, in duplicate, containing Certificate under 37 CFR 1.10.  
☒ Utility Patent Application: Spec. 13 pages; 6 pages totaling 26 claims; Abstract 1 page.  
 The fee has been calculated as shown below in the 'Claims as Filed' table.  
☒ 9 sheets of formal drawings.  
☒ A signed Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney.  
☒ Assignment of the invention to Cardiac Pacemakers, Inc., Recordation Form Cover Sheet.  
☒ A check in the amount of \$1050.00 to cover the Filing Fee.  
☒ A check for \$40.00 to cover the Assignment Recording Fee.  
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## CLAIMS AS FILED

Number of Claims Filed	In Excess of:	Number Extra	Rate	Fee
<b>Basic Filing Fee</b>				\$770.00
<b>Total Claims</b>				
26	- 20	= 6	x 18.00	= \$108.00
<b>Independent Claims</b>				
5	- 3	= 2	x 86.00	= \$172.00
<b>MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM FEE</b>				\$0.00
<b>TOTAL FILING FEE</b>				<b>\$1,050.00</b>

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